

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS:

On page one, between the title of the invention and the first paragraph, replace "Description" with --

This application is the national stage of PCT/EP2004/009303 filed on August 19, 2004 and claims Paris Convention priority of DE 103 39 436.2 filed August 24, 2003.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --.

Please amend the first paragraph on page 1 as follows--

The present invention primarily concerns a method for setting up a virtual electronic teaching system with individual interactive communication ~~(patent claim 1)~~. Furthermore, the present invention concerns device for setting up a virtual electronic teaching system for implementation of the method ~~(patent claim 5)~~. --.

On page 8 insert as a title following line 2 --

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --.

Please amend the first full paragraph on page 8 as follows --

This object is achieved by a method for the establishment of a virtual electronic teaching system with the use of a telecommunication network

with a main distributing frame connected to an exchange, in which an access multiplexer and/or splitter are connected or integrated in the main distribution, with analog or digital telecommunication devices and with an interface circuit connectable to one of these devices, which on the one hand, is connected via a subscriber line circuit or a subscriber modem and splitter or a network termination and subscriber lines to the main distribution and, on the other hand, to the workstation of the person participating in the e-Learning or tele-teaching event, ~~in accordance with patent claim 1,~~ the inventive method comprising the following steps: --.

Please amend the last paragraph on page 13 extending to page 14 as follows --

Furthermore, this object is achieved by an inventive virtual electronic teaching system using a telecommunication network, which comprises a main distribution connected to an exchange, with an access multiplexer connected to or integrated in the main distribution and/or a splitter, and analog or digital telecommunication equipment, ~~in accordance with patent claim 5,~~ by: --.

Please amend the second paragraph on page 15 as follows --

In a further development of the invention ~~in accordance with claim 4,~~ an access authorization is stored in the interface circuit, by means of which the control of establishing a connection and the test process is safeguarded against unauthorized access and the procedure is recorded. --.

On page 16 insert as a title prior to the brief description of the drawings

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING --

On page 16 insert as a title following the brief description of the drawings --

DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT --.

On page 26, line 1, replace as a title "Patent Claims" with --

I CLAIM: --.

Please replace the Abstract with the following Abstract, written on a separate page --